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Hiroji HANAWA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/638,075

Examiner: Rodney McDonald

Filed: 08/11/2000

Group Art Unit: 1753

For: EXTERNALLY EXCITED TORROIDAL PLASMA SOURCE

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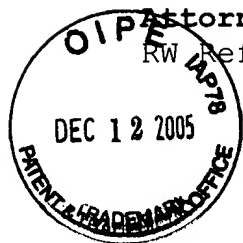
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In response to the Final Rejection dated October 11, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.